



Docket No. 08935-291001

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As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

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I believe I am the original, first, and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below), or an original, first, and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below), of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

### **Battery Including Aluminum Components**

the specification of which

\_\_\_\_\_ is attached hereto.  
☒ was filed on **November 24, 2003** as Application  
Serial No. **10/719,014**  
\_\_\_\_\_ was filed as PCT International Application  
No. \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which I know is material to patentability as defined in 37 C.F.R. §1.56.

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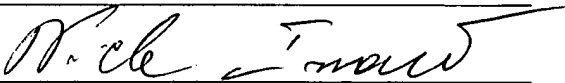
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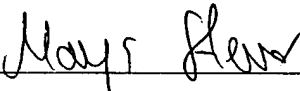
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